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Record Enrollment Opens Jubilee Year!

258 Register as Wartburg Celebrates 75th Season

Wartburg college opened its Diamond Jubilee year with an all-time high record enrollment of 258 students. The highest total formerly reached was 253 in 1940. The majority of this number are freshmen, who broke all records for their class with 138 representatives.

Of the total number enrolled the men outnumber the women by better than two to one — 175 men, 83 women.

Eleven states are represented on the campus. Iowa heads the list with 140; Wisconsin ranks next with 32; then come Minnesota, 21; Illinois, 19; Nebraska, 16; North Dakota, 13; South Dakota, 8; Kansas, 4; Oklahoma, 3; Texas, 1; and Michigan, 1.

The navy reserve programs have attracted an unusually large number to take courses preparatory for engineering and medicine. Forty-five have enrolled for these courses. In addition, the present demand for nurses has resulted in a larger than usual enrollment for pre-nurses' training. Thirty-five of the new students have the ministry in view.

Wartburg has a slightly higher percentage of Lutheran students than last year—89 per cent of the present student body is Lutheran.

The first major event of the anniversary celebration will be the annual homecoming. The festivities will extend over three days, starting on Friday, Oct. 23, and closing on Sunday, Oct. 25. Dr. E. Poppen, president of the American Lutheran Church, will be speaker at a special service on Sunday forenoon and Dr. Wm. Sodt is to speak at a civic program scheduled for Sunday afternoon.

KITCHEN STAFF ADDS TWO COOKS

Mrs. Cain and Mrs. Kohagen Take Over Where Russ Left Off.

Mrs. Roy Cain of Shell Rock and Mrs. Ed Kohagen of Waverly, were added to the Wartburg college kitchen staff, on Sept. 10, to replace Russ Redfield, who was inducted into the army. Mr. Herb Phelan, who expects to be called in the near future, has taken over the position of chief cook, for the present. When he leaves, Mrs. Cain will assume this position.

Mrs. Cain states that she prefers her new work to working in restaurants because there is a definite schedule to follow. Mrs. Kohagen is an old friend of many of the students, having been employed at Frank's Lunch before taking this position.

Among the projects by which Mrs. Cain plans to increase the efficiency of the kitchen force is the purchase of a new power mixer.

Faculty Women To Entertain Girls

The Wartburg faculty women's club will entertain all Wartburg college girls at a buffet supper Sunday evening, Sept. 27, in Wartburg hall. There will be a short entertainment in the reception room beginning at 5:00, after which supper will be served in the recreation room. Hostesses for the occasion are Mrs. Braulick, Mrs. Neumann, Miss Roork, Mrs. Liemohn, and Mrs. Hiltner.

18 COMMERCIAL GRADS PLACED

Business Department Sets Record in Placing Graduates.

The placement bureau of the business department at Wartburg college makes the following report:

Elois E. Giesler, Waverly, stenographer, Waverly Sugar Co., Waverly.

Beatrice M. Oemick, Charles City, stenographer, Rath Packing Co., Waterloo

Geneva P. Preston, Waterloo, secretary, publications department, Wartburg college, Waverly.

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Antonia Winter, Scotland, S. Dak., bookkeeper, Scotland Comcomunity Elevator, Scotland, S. Dak.

Madelon Eberly, Chicago, Western Union, Chicago.

T. C. Art Class Visits Wartburg

The art class of Prof. Horn of Iowa State Teachers college at Cedar Falls visited the Wartburg Art department on Tuesday, Sept. 22.

The object of the visit was to see the work which Miss Wright and the Wartburg art classes have been doing in the field of ceramics. A kiln for baking the clay has been constructed by the closs and several specimens of pottery work that have been made by Wartburg students were displayed.

Send the Trumpet to your folks and friends! See Benny Andersen for your subscription.

ADDED TO KITCHEN STAFF

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NEW INSTRUCTORS AT WARTBURG

Miss Lucille Cypreansen, Lincoln, Neb., and Wm. H. Roselius, formerly of Hebrnn junior college, Hebron, Neb., have been added to the teaching staff of Wartburg college this year. Miss Cypreansen is instructor in speecb, debate and dramatics. Mr. Roselius is bead of the mathematics department and assistant coach.

Two New Faces Appear on Faculty This Year

Cypreansen and Roselius Hired.

New additions to Wartburg's faculty this year include Wm. H. Roselius as assistant coach and math instructor, and Miss Lucille Cypreansen, who will teach speech and lead the debate and dramatic organizations.

Mr. Roselius graduated from Capital University, Columbus, O., in 1920 and has been at Hebron Junior college until his appointment to Wartburg. He is a member of the national six-man football committee, serving consecutively since 1934. In 1935, he received his M. A. from University of Nebraska.

Miss Cypreansen received her bachelor of fine arts at the University of Nebraska and took graduate work at Northwestern and the University of Nebraska. Outside of teaching, her chief interests lie in speech improvement work and tests and measurements in psychology. At the present time she has several articles about to appear in journats. "Speech Clinic Work for Children" will appear in The Nebraska Education Journal, and the Curricular Journal, will shortly publish her article entitled, "Teacher Training and Speech Improvement". She also has a book. "Children's Speech Improvement Manual", which is now at the publishers.

Student Prexy

As Wartburg goes into its 75th year and plans are being made to celebrate our Diamond Jubilee, Harry Stief, senior from LeMars, Iowa, is at the head of the student body. Elected student prexy last spring, Harry leads the greatest number of Warthurg students on record through this Jubilee year.

Wartburgers May Enlist In Reserves Nov. 12-13

Enlistment Team Representing All Branches Coming.

An enlistment team for the United States Reserve program representing the Army, Navy, Marines, Coast Guard and Air Corps will be on the Wartburg campus Thursday and Friday, Nov. 12 and 13. On Thursday they will explain what the various branches of the service have to offer and on Friday will do active enlisting among Wartburg students. They will have equipment at that time to give the necessary physical ond mental examinations to applicants.

Prof. A. A. Aardal, Wartburg's "Service advisor" mokes the following suggestions to students interested in the reserve program: Get the necessary blanks from him early, so there will be no delay. Have a birth or baptismal certificate available. If under 21, have a written consent from parents.

Wartburg's quota has been tentatively set at 22 men for all branches of the service; but the Navy, Marines, ond Army air corps are "authorized to enlist every qualified applicant who demonstrates officer-like qualities withoutr estriction as to quota."

For those who are interested, the U. S. Government has released this list of "definite capacities that can make a man more valuable as leader. They are:

1. Capacity for clear and accurate expression.
2. Capacity for accurate mathematial computations on a college mathematics level.
3. Basic familiarity with some exact science having a direct relationsbip to the Army.
4. Capacity to deal realistically with maps and charts.
5. Capacity to take care of one's self physicolly under all conditions.
6. Good health and hard physicol condition.

College emphasis should be put on hosic understanding and thoroughness rather than a superficial smattering of a multitude of unrelated subjects.

Prof. Aardal will be willing to consult with anyone who is interested in this program and can give further details of the opportunities offered.

Choir Tour Plans Remain Indefinite

Plans for the diamond jubilee choir tour are necessarily indefinite due to the present ban on bus charter service. In case transportation is available, however, a tour through Wisconsin and Minnesota is planned.

The Wartburg choir has traveled about 6,000 miles in the last three years and has been acclaimed from the Appalachians to the Rockies.

The all-sacred concerts presented by Prof. Liemohn's singers have gained a unique place in the hearts of those who have heard this group. For information about a concert appearance in your area or community, write to the Manager, Wartburg Choir.

Many Former Wartburgers Now In Armed Services

Tornquist, "Russ" Chellevold Head List of Knights.

Three members of the Wartburg college staff have been called to active duty in the armed forces of the United States. Prof. Don Tornquist, who was the debate coach, dramatics director and speech instructor last year was called to the colors last June and is now stationed at Camp Crowder, Mo. Prof. John O. Chellevold, former mathematics and geography instructor, was called in August and is now a lieutenant in the U. S. naval reserve midshipman's school in New York City. Last Thursday Mr. Russell Redfield, Wartburg college chef for the past four years, was inducted into the armed forces at Camp Dodge, Des Moines, Iowa. Mr. Herbert Phelan, who is at present the head chef, will leave in a few weeks.

Wartburg college has contributed many of its alumni and former students in the all-out effort for defense. Some are chaplains, some lieutenants, corporals, and some buck privates. The following who have attended Wartburg since 1935 are in the armed forces:

Fratzke, Alfred—'41,Ft. Bragg, N. Car., private.

Hickle, Robert—(38-39 Air Corps, Training Det., Palo Alto Airport, King City, Calif.

Emmons, John—'40, Army Air Corps, 18 Avalon Place, Fort Meyer, Fla.

Scharff, Paul—'40, CAAC Det., San Francisco, Calif.

Wendt, Victor—(39-40) Co. 26 U. S. Naval Training School, Chicago, Ill.

Radue, Paul—'39, Lake Chas. Army Flying School, Lake Cbas., La.

Bodeker, Stanley—(36-37) Corpus Christi, Texas.

Ziegenbusch, John (38-40), Ellington Field, army air corps, radio operator, Houston, Texas.

Waite, Jack ('39-40) Sky Harbor Airport, Phoenix, Ariz.

Leeseberg, Martin, IRTC, Camp Wolters, Texas, '40, lieutenant.

Wagner, Egbert—('39), Marines, San Diego, Calif.

Wagner, Richard—CPT, Cadet in navy, Sioux City, Iowa.

Stanek, Leslie—(37-39), ACRT-C, Maxwell Field, Ala.

Benike, Harland (39-41), Third Armored Div., Camp Polk, La.

Jackson, Jerry (40-41) U. S. Navy Hosp. Attendant's School, Portsmouth, Va.

Fahrenholz, Gerald, Naval Hosp. Corps, Pharmacist Mate, Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

Bischoff, Lester (39-41), stationed at New York City, N. Y.

Braulick, Paulus ('41), Med. Trg. Br., Camp Robinson, Ark.

Heyer, LaVerne (39-40) Camp Dodge, Des Moines.

Schaefer, Raymond, '42, Camp Dodge, Des Moines.

Peterson, Marvin — (39-42) Navy Pier, Chicago, Ill.

Harmon, Delmar (40-42), Parachute Training Reg., Ft. Benning, Ga.

Becker, Harold and Arnold—'42, Ft. Bragg, N. Car.

Langholz, Rudy—'42, Officers' Training School for marines, Quantico, Va.

Landwehr, Richard—'42, Officers Training School for marines, Quantico, Va.

Mierson, Jimmy—'42, Officers' Training School, Central College, Pella, Iowa.

Leschensky, Armin—('42), Randolph Field, Texas.

Herron, Don (40-42), Base Signal Batt., SanDiego, Calif.

Ohenauer, Edwin—'41, Lincoln, Nebr., Lincoln Air Base.

Wuebbens, H. J., (35-37) Chaplain, Camp Forrest, Tenn.

Muench, Leo—'36, Harvard University, Chaplain's School.

Kirkland, Archie -- (41-42) Hosp. Corps School, U. S. Training St, Great Lakes, Ill.

Fritz, Victor — (40-42), Naval Air Force.

These addresses are not complete. The full address may, however, be obtained from the college office.

PARATROOPER BACK ON CAMPUS

Former Wartburg Student Returns to Alma Mater on Furlough from Texas.

Delmar Harmon, former Wartburg college student and now a paratrooper, spent the day Tuesday, Sept. 22, on the Wartburg campus where he went to school for two years. He left last spring for the army. He is now stationed at Fort Benning, Ga., with Company R, First Parachute Training Regiment, and when he returns there he will be enrolled in the advanced communications school.

He has made five jumps and expects to make two night jumps as soon as he returns to camp.

The jumps are made as the plane soars through the sky at 90 or 120 miles per hour, the paratrooper dropping at 14 to 20 feet per second depending on atmospheric conditions. The chutist must drop about 50 to 75 feet before the parachute opens, and there are always two parachutes in case of emergency.

Harmon reports that he earns $100 per month—$50 as a private and $50 as a jumper.

Each communication paratrooper is equipped with a complete receiving and transmitting set, a pistol and a sub-machine gun.

Harmon found that his two years of engineering at Wartburg helped him during training at Camp Wolters, Tex.

Six Wartburgers Take CD Course

Bremer county's first class in civilian defense, which was trained during the summer by Dr. M. Wiederaenders of Wartburg was graduated on Monday evening, Sept. 14, into the United States Citizens Defense Corps.

Wartburgers who participated in this course and received their certificate of membership into the USCDC were Professors Aardal and Ottersberg as members of the bomb squad; professors Swensen and Chellevold and Mr. Pichelmeyer on the decontamination squad; and Dick Wiederaenders, freshman, as a fire-watcher.

Have you visited the new "Student-Union"?

THE ARMY CALLED THEM

"Russ" Redfield and Herb Phalen, Warthurg's two cooks for the past four years have both been called to service in the army. Russ left last week and is now at Camp Dodge, Des Moines, awaiting the arrival of trousers that will fit; while Herb, who expects to leave shortly is managing the kitchen for the time being.

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OUR 75th BIRTHDAY

Wartburg college is seventy-five years old. On such an anniversary as this it seems wise to pause a moment in order to see just how far we have come and in what direction we are now heading. Probably the most important accomplishment of Wartburg to date is the success with which it has competed with non-secular and state colleges. Surviving a turbulent history filled with mergers and relocations, Wartburg is today filling the position for which it was created; namely that of providing young men and women with a college education in a Christian atmosphere. The students here are beginning to realize that Wartburg is offering something that few other schools can offer. There was a time when one hesitated to admit the fact that he went to a church school. That time is past. Today we are proud of Wartburg. Proud of her size, her thoroughness, her spirit, and, above all, proud of the principles she cherishes. This year, when the attendance of most colleges dropped, Wartburg's enrollment again increased. While most colleges are retrenching for the duration, Wartburg is giving her students better lyceums, better equipment, and a better foundation for the days that lie ahead. It is during a time of stress, that the standards of a people are sifted and the superfluous ones discarded for the solid. Thus, as we fight the battles still confronting us, Wartburg's importance will undoubtedly increase, for Wartburg's values are solid ones. As we move into our seventy-fifth year, let us resolve to do our utmost in aiding our school in her purpose.

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OUR "STUDENT-UNION"

Last year Wartburg students clamored for a "student-union" or some place where boys and girls could meet in their leisure time. What was then the freshman class undertook, as a class project, the establishment of such a student center; and this year we have it ! ! !

Our "student-union" is the room just north of the bookstore, and the sliding door between the two is open whenever the bookstore is, so students can purchase ice cream and drinks over the counter.

But it is more than just a room. It has been furnished with a piano and radio. The walls are being decorated with pennants and pictures. From one wall hangs a mounted deer's head. The sophomore class, the "parents" of the new room, have asked students to contribute pennants from their home town or some other embellishment that will add to the attractiveness of the room.

The room is always open, too. Even though the room has been secured and supervised by the sophomore class it is for the enjoyment of ALL students—even freshmen.

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Campus Buildings Get Faces Lifted

New faces on the campus were not the only addition to Wartburg as it opened its Diamond Jubilee year. A busy campus crew gave new faces to many walls and floors in various buildings during the vacation months. The dormitories and the gymnasium received the lion's share of the 100 gallons of paint used.

North Hall received a complete covering of paint in the interior. Grossmann and Wartburg halls also received considerable attention by the campus crew. In the gymnasium the floors were revarnished and the side walls repainted.

In addition the crew made doubly sure that the rainy Iowa weather would not interfere with our dormant life by applying tar on the roofs of Grossmann, Luther hall, the gymnasium and old main.

"Russ" Honored By All-School Picnic

"Russ" Redfield, rotund and congenial college chef, was honored at a picnic on Wednesday evening, Sept. 16, at Woodring's farm. The occasion was the student body's farewell to Russ, who has been chief cook at Wartburg for four years, and who has now been called to the army.

Despite the mud, boys and girls organized teams and played kittenball until supper was served. During the course of the meal, Russ received gifts from the faculty and student body, and then was serenaded by a mass rendition of "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow".

Following this a bonfire was built, and entertainment was furnished at the expense of the Freshmen. Jack Meyer acted as master of ceremonies.

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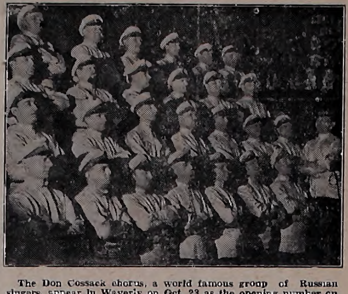

The Don Cossack chorus, a world famous group of Russian singers, appear in Waverly on Oct. 23 as the opening number on the 1942-43 Wartburg Artist series. All programs are held in St. Paul's parish house, Waverly's finest auditorium.

Don Cossack Chorus To Open Artist Series

Coming Oct. 23; 3 Other Great Lyceums Planned.

The General Platoff Don Cossack Chorus, one of the most famous bodies of singers in the world, will appear in Waverly as the opening number on the Wartburg college 1942-43 Artists Series on Friday, Oct. 23 at 8:00 p. m., in the St. Paul's Auditorium.

The reputation of this band of 27 Russians, who are sometimes picturesquely known as the "twenty-seven singing horsemen of the Steppes," has preceded them wherever they have traveled. Their fame is not due only to their brilliant phonograph recordings and sound films, but to their remarkable stage successes.

Dr. Herman Rauschning, president of the Danzig senate from 1930 through 1934 and an "insider" in the Nazi party councils of that day, will appear on the Wartburg Artists series on Tuesday, Nov. 24. Dr. Rauschning is described as "probably the best informed critic ofthe German National Socialist (Nazi) party alive and at liberty today."

Soo Yong, noted Chinese actress who plays with Katherine Cornell in "The Letter" on Broadway, and was "The ancient one" in "The Good Earth" will appear Thursday, Feb. 18.

Esther Doby, dramatic soprano, and Walter Franklin Anderson, pianist and organist, will appear in joint recital to close the series Tuesday, March 30.

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No telling what . . . but could be a poor freshie getting "acquainted" with a soph! Or could be some of those upperclassman wolves on their night to howl! But . . . whatever it is . . . . Wartburg campus has been howling since the pack of upper-classmen started initiating freshies. However, they have a good purpose—they say— they merely want to bring the freshies down to their own level! According to the freshmen, that WILL take a long time!

However, though their methods might not shine, it is possible that their shoes might shine more then they ever will again . . . and the freshies in Wartburg Hall ought to know how to make a bed after said initiation is over. Someone said that it hadn't started yet . . little do they know! It isn't anyone's idea of a good time to be waked out of a sound sleep just to walk around in spaghetti and it wasn't exactly a free world for one freshie when he was made to balance himself on the sundial in the middle of the campus . . . . even if he did look like the Statue of Liberty!

Who had the bright idea of no interdating . . . . unless it was the fellows who wanted to get first chance on the cute freshman girls . . . .

And it was a cute idea on the part of one fresbie to sing the Star Spangled Banner in the dining hall so that the upper-classmen would have to stand up! And it isn't any fun to walk on the muddy paths anyway when it's raining all the time! So, upper-classmen, you'll be sorry . after homecoming . . . . and anyway, who's afraid of the big bad wolves?

College Adds Extra Hour of P. T.

Because maintaining of good health is now considered a patriotic duty, Wartburg college is increasing its physical education class time by one half. The women are to have their regular two hours of p. t. each week and one additional hour of lectures on subjects relative to good health. The men will have three hours of regular p. t.

Wednesday evening the men had their routine physical examinations. Exaninations of the girls has been postponed from Thursday until a later date.

This program is being required of all students this year, instead of just freshmen and sophomores as formerly.

CAMPUS CHATTER

Ah-h-h, yes, yes, here we are back again for another year at good old Wartburg, and we can't complain about our freshmen class either, at least that's what the fellows are saying.

Some of the common phrases heard on campus of late due to initiation are: "Get on the sidewalk freshie!" "Kangaroo Kort", and "Hey, you two, aren't you freshmen?"

Most discussed topic of the freshmen at present is inter-dating, at least for some of the more romantic freshmen it is hard to keep from doing a little inter-dating now and then. Ask Prexy Heist, John Keller, Chuck Edin and a few of the others.

Orchids to C. C. VanDyke, (C. C. standing for Commando commander) at least we don't have to go far to see the 1942 Army Maneuvers.

We're sticking our necks out a little on this one: From where we sit it looks like Wartburg 20—Miners 14, up at Platteville next week end.

Some of the freshies seem to be lining up that upperclass date; the rest of you lads and lassies better get busy!

Being a junior, Helena is free from the curse of initiation but her romance has been interrupted by Uncle Sam. Keep 'em flying, Doc.

Bob Engelbrecht's theme song is "All alone and lonely"—till Homecoming!

Tom Harmon of the Paratroops visited the old Alma Mater Monday—still the same old Tom—Got his wings too—Boy! guys like him are always welcome around Wartburg.

It didn't take Bunge long to find a fella and it didn't take Fruehling long to find a gal. Nuff said!

We dedicate the song "At Last!" to Don Voights after seeing what a wonderful romance he has gotten into.

Biography of a Freshman

I hoed their diamonds, raked their court,
Blacked their shoes, withheld retort.
I swept their rooms, they spilled my bed,
With scissors took they to my head.

However bad as they may be
I still a silver lining see;
You see, we're looking forward friend,
Next year I'm on the giving end.
—College Chips.

The "I Got It Bad, And That Ain't Good" department or some of the guys and gals we've seen together of late—Keller, Kumpf—(but ain't they freshmen?)—Becker, Roselius— (ditto)—Meyer, Prottengeier—Wiederanders, Hinrichs.

Can some one tell us—Why Dave never visits the dorm?—Which Heist boy Vif goes with—Why everyone goes to Convo so regularly? — Who Betty Jo Weber gets all the mail from?

Some timely suggestions—Don't inter-date too often John and Butch, the water in the fish pond is rather cool—A date bureau at Wartburg—don't be too independent, Betty Jean—better leave Sunday night open, freshmen boys, something big is on the fire—buy War bonds everyone—Patronize Trumpet advertisers—Don't try too hard, Paul; Mickey is still pretty loyal to Wisconsin U.

Have you heard? Onnen has Martin's class ring—Drewes has changed his ideas on romance—Wendell Harstad is engaged — Steege is taking lessons in archery and canoeing?—Edith Bartels is true to the Navy?

The Redfield farewell picnic? Yeh, that was a lot of fun wasn't it? From here it seems that the picnic was quite an asset to all new romances. We hear that the army intelligence test proved that Russ could do other things than cook—or is that old stuff?

Can you imagine—this year's freshmen as seniors—Hartwig not saying "Hey!"— Freshmen remembering their schedule—Tina saying something—a girl going with one fellow more than three times and still be open for a date with another fellow?

Farewell and good luck to Jim (Truck Driver) Zuehl who transferred to the U. of Minnesota the other day.

We hear someone in the room, wonder if he has a gun—we'll close now, see you in Kangaroo Kort!

REMEMBER THE PRE-MIXER MIXER?

On Friday evening, Sept. 1, just before the regular college mixer, an impromptu get-together was held in the choir room of Old Main. This view shows Helen Millus, freshman from Jackson, Wis., at the piano surrounded by a goodly assortment of Knights and Knighties giving forth in their best vocal form, their own interpretations of various popular songs.

ALUMNI NOTES

♦ Miss Betty Wiederanders, '41, finished her course of laboratory technology at the Milwaukee hospital on Sept. 1. After spending a week there, she came home for a few days before going to her new position as a technician in Oakland, Calif. Her present address is 2832 Bartlett St.

♦ Mary Lynes, who attended Wartburg college in 1940-41, has recently been married to an army sergeant in Phoenix, Ariz., where she has been working for the Bell Telephone Co. Her address is Mrs. Boyd McDaniels, 338 N. Third St.

♦ A delegation of seminarians from Dubuque came over to Wartburg this week-end. Those who have been seen around the campus include Luther Meyer, Ace Schumacher and Don Kabele.

HOME PLACES 30 IN MONTH; STILL HAS 90

Ninety children are now in the Children's Home family here even though 30 have been placed in adoptive or temporary foster homes during the past month! Saturday five were added to the family: Monday a new baby and a ten-year-old girl came; Tuesday another baby came. (Both babies are spoken for).

Applications for admittence to the Home continue to pile up for the unsettled conditions in the world at large are very definitely reflected in the number of children coming from broken homes and seeking care.

Boys' House Room Remodeled for Four

A new room for four of the older boys at the Lutheran Children's Home is being remodeled and redecorated in the basement of Boy's House. The preject is in line with the Home's effort to provide more homelike surroundings for its family. In this effort the dormitory idea is being used as little as possible.

College Executive Committee Meets

The executive and budget committee of Wartburg college met Monday to transact routine business. Members present were L. G. Krebs of Davenport, G. C. Rausch of Waterloo, E. J. Braulick and Prof. J. Cornils of Wartburg, Waverly. Dr. G. J. Neuman served as advisor.

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Wisconsin Miners to Be First Knight Grid Foe

30 Men Working Hard in Last Week Before Tilt.

With one week left in which to prepare for their first gridiron encounter with Wisconsin Miners on Oct. 3, some 30 footballers and their two coaches, VanDyke and Roselius, are learning fundamentals, plays and defensive tactics.

In sizing up the squad as a whole, we can say that it is a more rugged squad than in former years. However, since the majority of the squad lacks actual playing experience, the Knights will be green at the outset of this season. What they lack in experience, they have shown in practice that they will make up for it in fight and drive.

Most of the starting positions are still open, but the line will undoubtedly be built around Captain Fred Scherle, powerhouse tackle, and Carl Stubenvoll, a two-year veteran at center. Other lettermen returning to the Knight line are Fred Mueller, guard, and Bob Langholz, a tackle.

In the backfield, three of the starting positions are wide open. The only returning veteran is the hard-driving fullback from last year, Harold "Tuff" Obenauer. In the other three positions, it looks like the derth of freshmen talent will have the upper hand.

The McKendree game, scheduled to be played at Waverly, was forced to be cancelled due to the transportation difficulties caused by the war. Therefore the Knights are pointing to their game with the Miners at Platteville, Wis. When the two teams met last year at Waverly, the Knights won their first game in four years by decisively beating then, 25-6. The first conference game for the VanDykemen will be at Waverly when the Penn Quakers come to town on Oct. 8.

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KNIGHT FROSH FRACTURES LEG

Melvin Schoenberg of Reedsburg, Wis., broke his leg during football practice at Wartburg college at 5:15 p. m. Thursday afternoon, Sept. 10. He is a freshman.

He spent the first night at the local hospital where he was visited by many of his friends and fellow football players. Next day he was taken to his room in Grossmann hall where he convalesced until Tuesday, Sept. 22, when he made his first appearance on the campus. He says he is feeling fine, but wishes he were back playing football.

DR. NEUMANN ATTENDS MEETING IN CHICAGO

Dr. G. J. Neumann, dean of Wartburg, attended a meeting of the Literary Committee of the Board of Publications of the American Lutheran church at the Atlantic hotel in Chicago Sept. 17.

The purpose of this meeting was to determine how the Lutheran church might get more of its own people to go into the field of creative writing—particularly in the field of children's literature. It is possible that prizes may soon be offered for the best juvenile manuscript.

Others on the committee are Rev. Edw. Kuhlmann, Oil City, Pa., and Rev. Aug. Baetke, Milwaukee, Wis.

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Organizations

Wartburg Players

At its first meeting of the year, the Wartburg Players agreed to sell season tickets for its four productions scheduled for the current season. The price to be charged is $1.25. The single admission price for this year's productions was set at 35 cents plus 4 cents federal tax.

There will be four types of play: a comedy, a drama, a religious play and a revival of an old master. The first play, a comedy, is scheduled for Nov. 8.

A committee was chosen to arrange a reciprocal agreement with the Waverly high school dramatics club.

Entertainment of the evening was furnished by the initiation of new members.

Teachers Fraternity

The Wartburg Teachers fraternity convened for the first time this term, Friday evening, Sept. 25, in Convocation hall.

The president, Joyce Martens, presented the business and supervised the election of officers. The main problem of the group now is one of reorganization according to the standards of recognized campus organizations, and most of the business before the house dealt with this project.

After the business meeting, Leonard Suchsland presented a report on the life of Frances E. Willard, the educator. A humorous reading by Roland Roselius concluded the program.

Pi Sigma

In one of the social events of registration week, the Pi Sigma "big sisters" (upper-classmen) entertained their "little sisters" (freshmen) on a hike Thursday evening, Sept. 11.

The hike was climaxed by a lunch served around a camp fire on the bank of the Cedar river. Songs were sung, and the president explained the aims and purposes of the organization.

Debate

Beta Lamda has launched this year's work with a series of talks on various phases of debating, being presented by club members under the general direction of Evert Hageman, program chairman. At its last meeting Alfred Senft gave a talk on research, and George Reinke presented a talk on briefing.

Pi Sigma Tea

The new members of the Pi Sigma were formally welcomed into the society, at a tea, Wednesday, Sept. 23, from 2 to 5 p. m., in the Reception room of Wartburg Hall.

Mrs. Roselius, the faculty advisor, poured. Margaret Steege, Edith Bartels, Ruth Mueller, Betty Schaulis and Virgene Hartwig, officers of the Pi Sigma acted as hostesses. They were assisted by Elaine Hehmke, Dorothy Bunge and Mildred Beisner.

Luther League

The Wartburg college Luther League began its year of activity with a hike to the picnic grounds Sunday. The afternoon was spent playing strenuous games, which gave everybody a good appetite. A picnic supper was then served to the group. Afterwards a twilight devotional meeting was held, which was led by Albert Martin.

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1942 Knight Grid Schedule

Oct. 3—Wiconsin Miners at Platteville.
Oct. 8—William Penn at Waverly (Night).
Oct. 17—Buena Vista at Storm Lake.
Oct. 24—Western Union at Waverly (Homecoming).
Oct. 30—Dubuque University at Waverly (Night).
Nov. 7—Upper Iowa at Fayette.

Behind the Varsity

JIM HUGHES

We're here again with a cheery "hello" and a hasty glance at the football prospects for the 1942 campaign. With this first issue of the Trumpet, we would like to give you some definite information on the team which Coach Van Dyke will put on the field for their first encounter when they travel to Wisconsin to meet the Wisconsin Miners at Platteville, but your erstwhile coach says, "Nothin' doing" ! ! ! ! Yet, to an optimist like me, I derive much satisfaction out of this little brush-off by the Coach. We all know that old adage about no news is good news. I like to take this in that connection. In a recent interview with the coach, he declined to say anything definite, but his expression and general appearance was good enough for me. Of course, we will be inexperienced. We almost always are. Wartburg's athletic teams have always counted heavily on their freshmen. Here are some bright spots: 31 men are reporting to Coaches Van Dyke and Roselius; the squad as a whole is very rugged and presents better balance in the positions, especially in the line. There is an ever present earnestness in their daily workouts that has come to the attention of all who have witnessed the practices. That's about all I have to say at the present time on football. I've watched those Knights at practice and have every confidence in the world in them. My one hope now is that the student body will be behind them one hundred per cent throughout the entire six-game schedule this year.

We're Rolling for the U. S. A. ! ! !

"Forward, March ! ! ! " You guessed it—Wartburg's physical education program is in full swing. With Coach Van Dyke and Coach Roselius giving out with the orders for all kinds of military drill, every male student at Wartburg is all out for physical fitness. You know, it's a funny thing—every fellow is turning out very regularly for their P. T. classes. At first we heard much grumbling among the ranks of the upperclassmen, but since they have started their training, they are quite enthusiastic about it, and are really enjoying the military drill they are learning. Of course, military drill is not the only thing in this program. Calisthenics, touch football, and many other forms of exercise will be included. The Wartburg student body and the physical education instructors are certainly doing their part in making the youth of America physically fit.

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Bob Benck—Chicago, Ill.	E.	Jr.	6- 1	172
Luther Cronrath—Oconto, Wis.	E.	Fr.	6- 2	185
Harlan Fintel—Byron, Neb.	T.	So.	6-	174
Conrad Frericks—Dolliver, Ia.	G.	So.	5-11	173
Eldor Fruehling—Auburn, Neb.	G.	Fr.	5- 9	217
Erwin Heist—Waverly, Ia.	B.	Sr.	5- 8	125
John Keller—Jamestown, N. D.	B.	Fr.	6-	150
Paul Keller—Jamestown, N. D.	B.	So.	5-10	150
John Krause—Waverly, Ia.	T.	So.	6-	158
Vic Kuester—Riplinger, Wis.	G.	So.	5-10	167
Bob Langholz—Lakota, Ia.	T.	Jr.	5-10	170
Dick Leicher—Logansville, Wis.	E.	Fr.	6- 1	185
V. Luetzow—Rogers City, Mich.	E.	Sr.	6- 1½	170
Fred Mueller—Wishek, N. D.	G.	Jr.	5- 8	175
Harold Obenauer—Eureka, S. D.	B.	Jr.	5-10	175
David Rath—Prairie Du Sac, Wis.	B.	Fr.	5- 8	155
Lawrence Sailor—Hazen, N. D.	B.	Jr.	5- 4	135
Hans Sandrock—Bellevue, Ia.	B.	Jr.	6-	160
Bob Sautter—LeCenter, Minn.	B.	Fr.	5-11	163
Fred Scherle—Eureka, S. D.	T.	Sr.	6- 2	195
Don Siedschlag—Warren, Ill.	G.	Fr.	5-10	215
Carl Stubenvoll—Logansville, Wis.	C.	Jr.	6- 2	194
Len Suchsland—Muscatine, Ia.	G.	Sr.	5- 8	147
Jack Tegtmeier—Waverly, Ia.	T.	Fr.	6-	195
Bob Wagner—Treynor, Ia.	C.	Fr.	5-10	173
Dick Wiederaenders—Waverly, Ia.	E.	Fr.	6- 1	180
Dale Wulff—Stockton, Ill.	G.	Fr.	5- 6	160

Council Elected For Wartburg Hall

Wartburg Hall's dorm council was elected at the girls' first regular chapel meeting Monday, Sept. 14. Joyce Martens is House President for the year, and Helen Baetke was chosen secretary of the council. Other members are Bernice Ruether, Betty Shaulis, and Edith Bartels from third floor, and Loretta Fruehling, Helen Rice, and Lorraine Grosshans, and Doris Kumpf from second.

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